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MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TAMPA DIVISION

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MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TAMPA, FLORIDA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 8:03-cr-77-T-30TBM

GHASSAN ZAYED BALLUT,

Defendant.

ORDER

THIS CAUSE is before the court on Defendant Ghassan Zayed Ballut's **Ex Parte Motion for Order Permitting Paralegal to Meet with Defendant Sami Al-Arian** (Doc. 337). By this motion, counsel seeks an order of the court directing the Florida Correctional Center at Coleman, Florida, (FCC-USP), to permit and make arrangements for the court-appointed paralegal to visit FCC-USP for the purpose of conferring with *pro se* Defendant Sami Al-Arian regarding discovery matters. After counsel filed this motion, a notice of appearance was entered by private counsel on behalf of Mr. Al-Arian. See (Doc. 351). Accordingly, and upon consideration, the instant motion (Doc. 337) is **DENIED** as moot.

Done and Ordered in Tampa, Florida, this <sup>31st</sup> day of October 2003.

  
THOMAS B. McCOUN III  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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